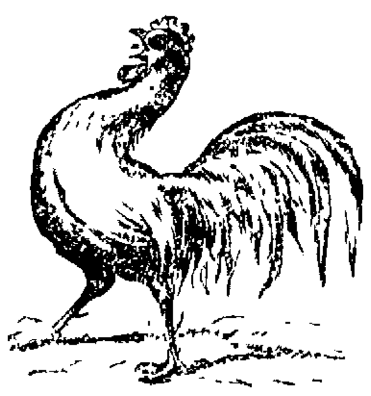
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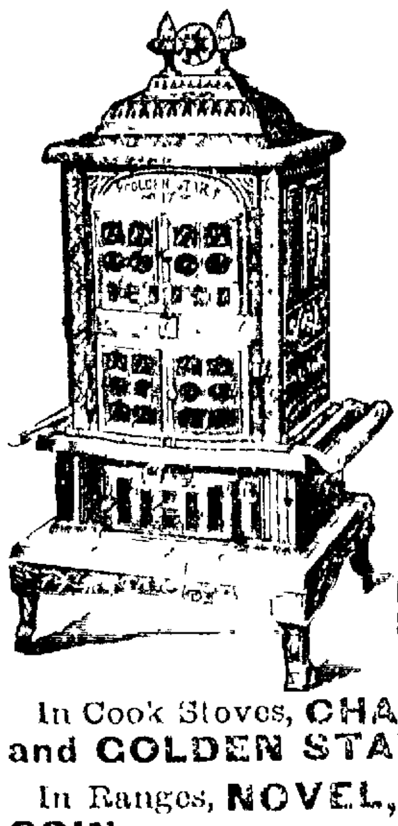
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Macon County }

In the Circuit Court to December Term, 1884

Clara Walden vs Isaac Walden—In Chancery. Divorce

AFFIDAVIT of non residence in the State of Illinois of the above named defendant, Isaac Walden, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Walden, the defendant in the above cause, that the said complainant has filed her bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, that a summons in said cause has been issued out of said court in said cause against you the said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in the month of December, 1884, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending and undetermined in said court.

Now unless you, the said defendant, shall be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois on the first day of the next December term thereof, 1884, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in the month of December, 1884, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

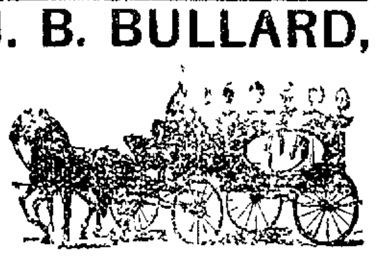
F. McCLELLAN,

Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill.

H. Pasco Complainant's Solicitor.

Decatur, Ill., Oct 13, 1884—d1w

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Jan 8—1&wly

Blaine to Young Men.

At the time Mr. Blaine was in Cincinnati he was serenaded by the Young Men's Blaine Club at one o'clock in the morning. In response to their call, he appeared at the window of his room, and spoke as follows:

Young men: The giants of mythology typified the strength of young men. In the enligh tened era of the Christian dipen sation, young men were strong. To day the strength of the Republican party is in the young men of the country, of whom it possesses a vast majority. (Cheers.) The young man is always good for two votes, his own and the one he brings. (Cheers.) No party in the history of this country has ever been beaten that had the sympathy and support of the young men of the country (cheers), and it has been the chief gratification of the tour I have made from the great commercial metropolis to your beauful city that everywhere I have found the young men on our side. (Cheers) You are in the morning of life. The day is before you, and you are equal to it. (Cheers.) You will have the fashioning of the republic—of its strength, its prestige, its glory, its destiny—long after the generation to which I belong shall have passed away. See to it that it is kept in your power and in your hands, clean, pure and strong, shall bear up the Ark of the Covenant. (Enthusiastic and prolonged cheering) I bid you good morning. Let us turn together to the duties of a new day, with its responsibilities, and, I hope, with its reward. (Renewed cheering.)

CHICAGO *Tribune*: Carter Harrison pretends that he was wholly ignorant of the corrupt and rascally election contrivances the Democratic County Board was concocting for weeks to cheat the Republicans and elect him by fraudulent means. The poor, innocent soul did not know of it, he says! Well, he knows it now, and he heard of it ten days ago, as the *Tribune* has placed before him the reprehensible details every day since Oct. 4. He confesses that he knows about it now. The people are waiting to see what he will do to correct the outrage.

A Great Discovery.

Mr. Wm. Thomas, of Newton, Iowa, says: "My wife has been seriously affected with a cough for twenty-five years, and this spring more severely than ever before. She had used many remedies without relief, and being urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery, did so, with most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved her very much, and the second bottle has absolutely cured her. She has not had so good health for thirty years." Trial Bottles free at Swearingen & Hubbard's Drug Store. Large size $1.00. a6

Fair and Festival.

The grandest fair and festival ever held in Decatur will be given by the ladies of St. Patrick's church in the Tabernacle on the evenings of Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 21st, 22d, 23rd and 24th of October. Several new features that will astonish and delight everybody will be introduced in this fair. Remember the time fixed, and if you wish to have a good old time, a splendid supper, lots of fun, and beautiful and valuable presents, just wait, get ready and attend this entertainment.

Oct. 3—d&wto17.

THE Photograph business of the late R. H. Piper will be continued under the personal supervision of his brother, E. J. Piper, with F. W. Stafford as operator and superintendent of all studio work. Mr. Stafford will devote his entire time to sittings, and no picture will be allowed to leave the gallery unless perfectly satisfactory to him and the customer. The management politely invites the patronage of all old friends of the gallery and as many new ones as want strictly first-class work. sept20-d&wtf

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Democratic and Republican Clubs Will do well to get estimates of our Campaign Uniforms at B. Stine's, as we are Headquarters in Decatur and Macon county, and are enabled to furnish them lower than anybody. jy15-dawtf

A NEW article in Macrame Cord, and the very best, can be found at April 22—dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

NEW lot of School Shoes at J. W. Baker's. sep13-d&wtf

GO TO L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s shoe store for good goods, good fit, handsome styles and the lowest prices in this country. s26-dawtf

JUST in, 100 Blaine and Logan hats, at B. Stine's. a20-dawtf

HANDSOME Body Brussels and Ingrain Carpets of the newest and most elegant styles ever produced, now on the way, and will be placed on sale in a few days. d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

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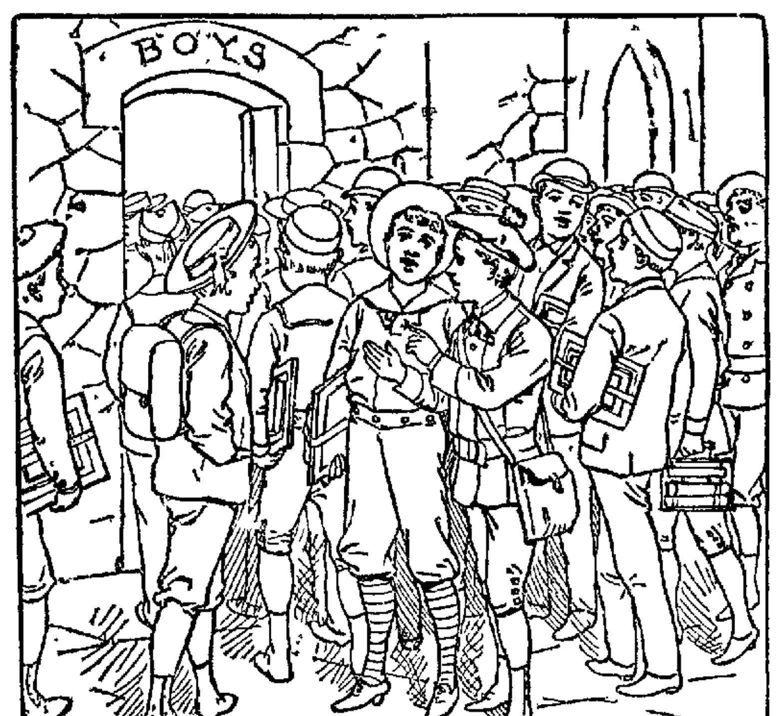
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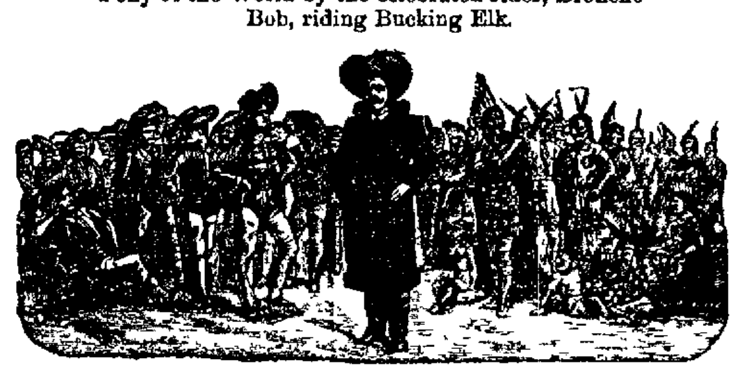
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 15, 1884.

OHIO SPEAKS.

The grand introductory skirmish in the Presidential battle took place in Ohio yesterday, with a result that must needs be intensely gratifying to Republicans, and correspondingly depressing to Democrats. The full returns, of course, are not at hand yet, but enough is known to justify the statement that the Republican state ticket is elected by a majority of from 15,000 to 20,000. When the circumstances are considered this is one of the most notable victories in recent politics. An adverse majority of 17,500 is overcome, and a greater one piled up on the other side. The stories of large defections from the Republican party turn out to have been nothing more than exaggerated samples of what the Democrats can claim when necessity demands something out of the common order, and the result shows what dependence is to be placed in similar claims elsewhere. The victory in Ohio substantially settles the presidential contest, as it gives the Republicans such a boom that nothing can stop the stampede that will be witnessed in more than one state.

Let every Republican in Decatur come to Headquarters at 7 o'clock this evening, prepared to carry a torch. Let all the martial bands be on hand, too.

[illegible]

Ladies, come to the court house to-night.

The [illegible] has poisoned the blood and [illegible] of the Democratic party. [illegible]

The curse of slavery has pursued the Democratic party [illegible] to its death. Therefore, [illegible] lips will be found to say a prayer over the grave on its grave. [illegible]

Now, boys, let us whoop 'er up for three weeks more.

[illegible]

Gov. Taylor's rousing reception at the court house to-night. We've heard from Ohio.

Ohio has a Democratic state administration. The people, it seems, concluded to "turn the rascals out."

That was a biting sort of frost that fell last night on the Democrats.

Democratic [illegible] for sale three for a [illegible] German American [illegible]

"We haven't a lot of sense; we are a set of [illegible] fools. We never ought to have claimed Ohio." C. C. C.

If the Democrats could have had a few more Hocking Valley lies to fling out [illegible] Ohio have gone.

Carl Schurz made two speeches in Cincinnati. [illegible] he had made three what would the great "German defection" have amounted to?

"The Ohio Germans are all going to vote our ticket," was the boast of the Democrats before the election. If they did they must have gone over to West Virginia to do it.

The *Review* is already whistling to keep its courage up. Folks are generally in the habit of whistling when a cold wave strikes them.

Don't expect that the Democrats will stop their cud chewing, now that Ohio has followed Maine. They are mad enough to say anything.

The Ohio "hippodrome", which has disgusted the Illinois Democrats so much, seems to have had a successful season in the Buckeye state. After all the efforts of the Democrats to ruin its business, it proves to have been the only circus that came out ahead this year.

A succession of immense Republican gains marks the trail upon which Carl Schurz traveled through Ohio. It is gratifying to know that he is now adding to the other vicissitudes of the New York Democracy.

"The tenacious Germans caused a landslide in Hamilton and Montgomery counties," is the way the Chicago *Times* accounts for the cyclone. Before the election the *Times* could not find words strong enough in which to express its admiration for the Germans.

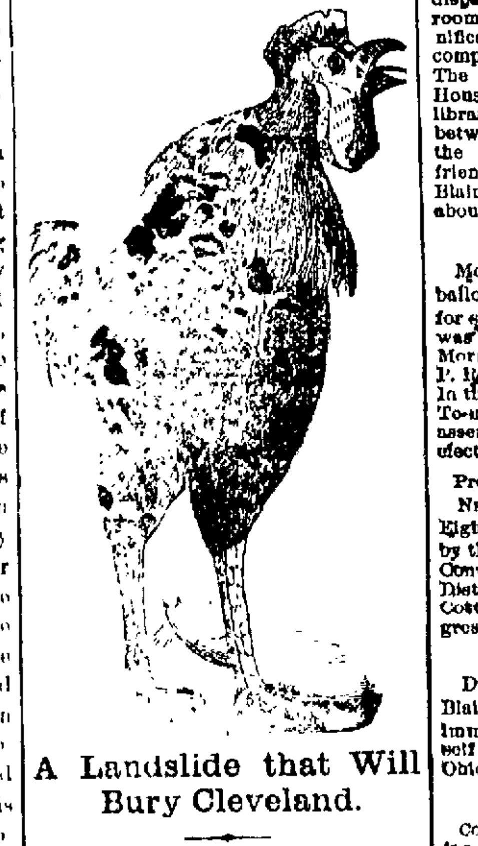
A Republican who was enjoying the news at the court house last night remarked, with a fine irony as he recalled the battle cry of the Democrats, "Well, I guess they'll have to stand the thieves four years longer."

Democrats who expected to carry Ohio were wild in judgment. The *Review* made no such predictions.—*Review.*

Then Chairman Barger, of the Ohio State Democratic Committee, was not so smart as our neighbor, when he prophesied only yesterday that the state would give 10,000 majority for the Democratic state ticket.

BY TELEGRAPH

THE OHIO BIRD.



A Landslide that Will Bury Cleveland.

15,000 to 20,000 Majority.

Ohio Sends 14 Repubicans and 7 Democrats to Congress.

In 1882 the Figures Were Reversed.

[Special to the REPUBLICAN.]

FONTAINE, O., Oct. 15. In '61 the American German shouldered musket to protect the Union; in '84 he votes for protection. He prefers bread to beer. With the assistance of the Irish we carry the state by from 12,000 to 15,000. None of them left the party.

M. GOLDBERG.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 15.—11:30 A. M.—Returns do not change the estimates of last night. The State is from 15,000 to 20,000 Republican. The Republican candidate for sheriff in this county has 5,000 majority. Both republican congressmen elected in this city. The Republicans will gain five or six congressmen.

COLUMBUS, Oct. 15. HALM:—We have no additional returns to change last night's figures, will be able this afternoon to give a closer estimate on the state. The Republicans have elected congressmen in the 1st, 2d, and 20th districts. Johnson, for supreme judge runs ahead of the State ticket in Hamilton county, and probably in the State.

No Serious Difficulty.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—The excitement in this city to-day has been at fever heat. At the Court house over one hundred Deputy Marshals, mostly colored, were in the upper hall and court room, ready to be used in case of an emergency, but up to the time the polls closed they were not needed. In Precinct B, Ward 8, several shots were exchanged at three o'clock this afternoon, but no one was seriously hurt. About the same time in precinct A, Tom D[illegible], who resides on Eighth street, was shot in the left leg by Deputy Marshal Knox. He was taken away by his friends and Knox to the Hammond street Police Station. There is no apprehension of trouble more than an occasional street brawl which is likely to occur on account of the opening of saloons after the closing of the polls.

Bases of Comparisons.

NEW YORK, October 14.—The comparisons regarding the Ohio election sent from the United Press office to-night will be with the election of 1882, when the Democrats had a majority of 12,659. There are 1,892 wards and precincts in the State, and it will require an average gain of seven votes to the ward or precinct for the Republicans to overcome the Democratic majority and carry the State.

The comparison in West Virginia will be with the State election of 1882, when Snyder (Dem.) beat Guthrie (Fusion), for Supreme Court Judge, by 8,211.

An Irish Greeting.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—The following telegram was sent to Mr. Blaine to-night:

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.

Hon. James G. Blaine, Detroit, Mich.

The enemies of Cleveland have made send you their affectionate greetings, and congratulate the country on its resolve to have [illegible] year of American administration.

[Signed] ALEXANDER SULLIVAN, M. BOLAND, M. MISTON.

Two Policemen and a Negro Killed.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—At 9:30 to-night the police attempted to arrest a negro on [illegible] sixth street near Freeman avenue, when a terrible fusilade was opened up from the doors and windows in that vicinity. The police returned the fire, but it looked as though they had fallen into a trap set for them. The [illegible] was fiercest and four patrol [illegible] to the spot, where they found Officers Gorman and Sheldock fatally wounded and Officer Cunningham shot in the [illegible]. A negro by the name of Cook was killed.

The Result in Doubt.

WHEELING, W. VA., October 15.—The vote in this State yesterday was the largest ever cast. Both parties agree that the result is in doubt.

Hard on Hurd.

TOLEDO, O., October 14.—Frank Hurd's election is in doubt. If he proves to be elected his majority will probably be less than 200.

[illegible]

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—At midnight fully 10,000 people were in front of the Lincoln Club Headquarters, where the returns were displayed on canvas with the aid of a [illegible]. The wildest enthusiasm prevailed, and cheer after cheer went up as fast as the different wards were heard from showing Republican gains.

Shortly after midnight Ben Butterworth was called out, but instead of making a speech he suggested that the band take the lead, and all fall in line and march over "The Rhine" (Central Avenue) into the German wards. The suggestion was acted upon at once, and they all proceeded down Eighth street to Vine, up Vine to the *Volksblatt* office, a German Republican paper, thence to the *Freie Presse* building, stopping at each place long enough to give them a serenade. They blocked up the street from curb to curb for three squares. After marching through several German wards they dispersed.

One Hundred Guns at Midnight.

ALBANY, N. Y., October 14.—Republicans here are jubilant over the result of the Ohio election. At midnight a salute of 100 guns was fired by order of the Republican County Committee.

They Jubilate.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—The members of the Lincoln Club believe that Butterworth (Rep.) is elected to Congress over Follett (Dem.) by a majority of about 1,000. A jubilation meeting is in progress at the club rooms.

Wild With Excitement.

BUFFALO, N. Y., October 14.—Buffalo Republicans are wild with excitement to-night over the result in Ohio. The young voters and others are out 1,500 strong, with bands. The Democrats are disposed to consider the result without material effect on the November election.

GREATEST fall stock of boots and shoes ever shown in Decatur now ready at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s, at prices to suit customers. No better goods in the world. s26 dawtf

Coal! Coal! Coal!

Hard and soft coal well screened, and wood at Geo. Ehrharts, telephone 139. Aug. 1e-dtf

Mr. Blaine at the Key.

DETROIT, MICH., October 14.—After his speech at the Music Hall to-night, Mr. Blaine returned to the hotel to inspect the later returns. He read the dispatches aloud to the gentlemen in the room and commented upon their significance. He was very quiet and composed but seemed greatly pleased. The wire in his parlor of the Russell House was connected with the wire in his library at Augusta, and in the intervals between the Ohio dispatches he received the congratulations of his family and friends at home, and conversed with Mrs. Blaine, partly about public and partly about domestic affairs.

Morrill Re-Elected.

MONTPELIER, VT., October 15.—The ballot to-day for United States Senator for six years, beginning March 4, 1885, was as follows: In the House—Justin S. Morrill, the present incumbent, 177; T. P. Redfield, Democrat, 26; scattering, 8. In the Senate—Morrill, 27; Redfield, 3. To-morrow the Senate and House in joint assembly will announce Mr. Morrill's re-election.

Prohibition Candidate For Congress.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS., October 15.—Eight cities and towns were represented by thirty-two delegates at the Prohibition Convention of the First Congressional District. The Rev. E. E. Hatfield, of Cottage City, was nominated for Congress.

Blaine Satisfied.

DETROIT, MICH., October 14.—Mr. Blaine retired at 11:30 p. m. To those immediately about him he expressed himself as perfectly satisfied with what Ohio had done.

Congressmen Probably Elected.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—The following is a list of Congressmen probably elected in Ohio, compiled from the latest accessible returns at Republican headquarters.

First District—Benj. Butterworth, Rep.
Second District—Chas. E. Brown, Rep.
Third District—Henry L. Morey, Rep.
Fourth District—Chas. M. Anderson, Dem.
Sixth District—Hiram C. Glenn, Rep.
Seventh District—Daniel Babst, Jr., Rep.
Eighth District—John Little, Rep.
Ninth District—William C. Cooper, Rep.
Tenth District—Jacob Romeis, Rep.
Eleventh District—Alphonso Hart, Rep.
Twelfth District—Albert C. Thompson, Rep.
Thirteenth District—Joseph H. Outhwaite, Dem.
Fourteenth District—John L. Vance, Dem.
Fifteenth District—Beriah Wilkins, Dem.
Sixteenth District—Geo. W. Geddes, Dem.
Seventeenth District—Jos. D. Taylor, Rep.
Eighteenth District—Isaac H. Taylor, Rep.
Nineteenth District—Ezra B. Taylor, Rep.
Twentieth District—Wm. McKinley, Rep.
Twenty-first District—Martin A. Ford, Dem.

Total: Republicans, 14; Democrats, 7. The Ohio delegation in the last Congress comprised 8 Republicans and 13 Democrats.

DEMOCRATIC GAINS.

Ohio.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Chairman Barger of the State Democratic Committee has sent a revised estimate to the National Democratic Committee. He reduces his guess on the Democratic majority to between 6,000 and 10,000. The first complete return received to-night was from Staunton Township, Miami County. It showed a Democratic gain of fourteen over last year, and of forty over the Garfield election of 1880.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—The following dispatch has just been received at the Democratic headquarters: Reliable reports from Hocking Valley give large Democratic gains. News from over the State continues favorable.

West Virginia.

WHEELING, W. VA., October 14.—The total vote in this city to-day was 7,500, a gain of 1,000 over the Presidential vote of 1880. It is predicted that the count will show Democratic gains. The total vote of Parkersburg is 1,500, and claims are made that a Republican gain will be shown there. The count in this city (Wheeling) will not be finished before daylight. The Democrats now claim the State by 5,000 majority.

WHEELING, W. VA., October 14.—Returns from 133 wards and precincts in West Virginia show a net Republican gain of 103 as compared with 1880 when the Democratic majority was 16,186. As compared with 1882 the gain is in favor of the Democrats.

WHEELING, W. VA., October 14.—The latest returns from the State indicate that Wilson (Dem.) is elected Governor, but it is impossible to give the figures yet.

WHEELING, W. VA., October 14.—Nothing is likely to be known to-night. Not over twenty wards and precincts have been heard from, and they show a small Republican gain.

WHEELING, W. VA., October 14.—The *Register* estimates the Democratic majority at 6,000.

REPUBLICAN GAINS.

Ohio.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—In 81 precincts of Hamilton County there is a Republican gain of 4,416.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—Seven hundred and sixty-eight wards and precincts in Ohio show net Republican gains of 11,950.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Returns from 371 wards and precincts in Ohio show a net Republican gain of 7,317.

CANTON, O., October 14.—Four precincts in Hardin County show a Republican gain of 141. Hardin County is Robinson's home.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Fragmentary returns thus far received show Republican gains.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—The Republican gain thus far shown is 880. Returns have not yet been received from Columbus, Cleveland or Cincinnati.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Returns from six of the twenty-seven precincts in this city show a net Republican gain of 107.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Returns from 178 wards and precincts show a Republican gain of 2,484.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—A dispatch from Cleveland states that the entire Republican county ticket is elected in Cuyahoga County.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—At the Lincoln Club headquarters it is thought Butterworth will be elected by 2,000 majority.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Returns from 308 wards and precincts in Ohio show a net Republican gain of 5,720.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—Returns from 398 wards and precincts show a net Republican majority of 3,880. The wards and precincts heard from include ten in Cincinnati, eleven in Columbus and one in Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., October 14.—Robinson's majority in Summit County will reach 1,400 and McKinley's 1,300. McKinley (Rep.) is elected to Congress in the Twentieth District over Paige (Dem.) by about 1,500 majority.

COLUMBUS, O., October 15.—20:35 a. m.—Six hundred and forty eight wards and precincts show a Republican gain of 10,255. Chas. E. Brown (Rep.) is elected to Congress in the Second Cincinnati District over Adam Kramer (Dem.)

CLEVELAND, O., October 14.—11:55 p. m.—Returns complete from 488 precincts and wards give a Republican gain of 6,230 over last year's vote. This is a smaller rate of Republican gain than hitherto received.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—In 78 voting precincts in Hamilton County there is a Republican gain of 4,245. There are 108 precincts in the county. The Democrats concede Hamilton County to the Republicans, but think there is a chance of Matson (Dem.) for Probate Judge.

CLEVELAND, O., October 14.—At this hour the Republicans claim that their majority in the State will reach 15,000 to 18,000. Also that Burnett (Rep.) is elected to Congress in the Twenty-first District over Foran (Dem.) by 500 to 800 majority, and McKinley over Paige in the Twentieth District.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—The returns received up to this hour (8:00), which include wards in a number of medium sized cities and towns throughout the State, show a Republican gain. The same ratio of gain throughout the State would give a Republican majority of about 10,000.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—Eight precincts in Hamilton County, Second Congressional District, show a Republican gain over Jordan's majority of two years ago of 132 to the precinct. In 49 precincts in Hamilton County the Republican gain is 3,745.

CINCINNATI, O., October 14.—Twenty-three precincts in Hamilton County, comprising one-fifth of the county, show a Republican gain of 776. The following dispatch has just been sent from the Republican headquarters here: "Prominent Democrats concede a large majority to the Republicans. They estimate Robinson's plurality at 18,000."

COLUMBUS, O., October 14, 12 M.—Returns from 631 wards and precincts give a net Republican gain of 8,417; 505 wards and precincts show a net Republican gain of 9,880. The same ratio throughout the State would make a Republican majority of 19,000. Chairman Oglevee, of the Republican State Committee claims the election of Robinson by 20,000 plurality.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—The majority on Secretary of State in 1880 was 19,605. Comparing the 226 precincts and wards received, with that year a net Democratic gain of 518 is shown. The same ratio throughout the State would give a Republican majority of 16,000. Comparing the 226 precincts with the votes of 1883, a net Republican gain of 3,970 is shown. The same ratio of gain throughout the State indicate a Republican majority of 18,000.

ORDER wood and coal of Geo. Ehrhart, or at Armstrong's drug store. 29tf

Dudley's First Chuckle.

NEW YORK, October 14.—The following has just been received at the Republican head quarters from Commissioner Dudley.

COLUMBUS, O., October 14.—McKinley for Congress and State running well together in Alliance and Stark Counties. Toledo reports fair and unexpected gains, same reports from all points. Fraud so far has been prevented here, with some arrests of Democratic repeaters. It begins to look as if we will have a larger plurality than the estimates. The Democratic managers have little to say but evince no discouragement.

Lucas County as a Lofty Tumbler.

TOLEDO, O., October 14.—MIDNIGHT.—Lucas County has evidently made another of its sudden somersaults. Every indication at this hour points to a Republican victory. Fifteen of the forty-one precincts in the county show a net Republican gain of 679. The Democrats have lost from 7 to 113 in every precinct heard from. Returns are coming in slowly, but enough has been received to warrant the Republicans in claiming the election of their county ticket, which last year went Democratic by 1,600. The Democrats are loth to concede the defeat of Hurd, but the probability is that they will have to do so.

THE NEWS IN NEW YORK

How It Was Received, and What Was Claimed.

NEW YORK, October 14.—The city is full of excitement over the Western elections, and the bulletin boards are surrounded by eager throngs. The returns are exceedingly meagre, however, and long intervals elapse between the posting of bulletins. The greatest throng is in Printing-house Square, and before the *Herald* bulletin, which is constructed on the style of a panorama, and affords amusement to a vast and ever-changing crowd. As each bulletin appears, the divided sentiment of spectators is shown by alternate cheers for Blaine or Cleveland that ring out on the frosty night air.

Up town the enthusiasm is not sufficiently warm to brave the cold wind, and political discussion is carried on within the political halls of the Fifth Avenue Hotel and the Hoffman House. Of the two National headquarters the more jubilant is that of the Republican managers, who are betting even money that Ohio has gone Republican by 12,000 majority.

At midnight the members of the Republican Central Committee claim that at the ratio of majority shown by returns thus far received the Republicans have carried Ohio by 15,000.

Fifth Avenue, in front of the Republican headquarters is massed with people, who are singing "Marching Through Georgia," "In the Morning by the Bright Light," etc.

The members of the committee concede that the Democrats have carried West Virginia, but refuse to say anything about the majority.

At the Democratic headquarters the statement is made that their returns are being held back while those of the Republicans are being pushed forward highly colored in favor of Republican success.

Private and creditable despatches from Ohio make it safe to place the Republican majority at from 12,000 to 15,000.

At 1 A. M.—The political fervor had cooled and both headquarters had closed for the night.

BLAINE AT DETROIT.

How the Republican Candidate Received the Returns.

DETROIT, MICH., October 14.—Mr. Blaine arrived at the Woodward Avenue Railway Station at three o'clock, and at once proceeded over the line of march. The cavalry was followed by a long line of carriages. Around the City Hall the crowd was dense. There were large delegations from all over the State. Mr. Blaine, looking worn and dispirited, doffed his hat in acknowledgment as the party passed on. An immense throng awaited Blaine's arrival on the campus. The men on horseback were sent among the crowd to announce that he was too tired to speak, but would appear in an hour or two. The crowd about the Russell House continued to grow in size despite the fact that it had been announced that Mr. Blaine would not appear until 8:30. When he finally came forward there were fifteen thousand people waiting to greet him. Mr. Blaine said:

The only political speech in order to-night is the returns from Ohio. I wait patiently for them. I take this assemblage as an evidence of the feeling of the people of Michigan toward the National struggle. It is not only an evidence, it is conclusive. There are not enough Democrats in Michigan to overcome this crowd and there are not enough Democrats in Ohio to overcome similar crowds there, as the returns will show. Till then, good night.

Mr. Blaine then introduced John C. Fremont, who spoke briefly. He was followed by General R. A. Alger. Bulletins from Ohio were read from the platform. Blaine, who had appeared in excellent humor since he first came from the hotel, now put on a broad smile. He walked across the stage bowing and waving his hand. Finally he came forward and shouted: "What impression do you think the faces of this crowd would have on Governor Begole?" The crowd yelled.

Calls for Senator Palmer brought that gentleman to the front with a brief speech.

The torchlight procession then began filing past the platform where Blaine was leaning smilingly over the railing. The transparencies spoke strongly against free trade. One bore the words: "Cleveland may straddle the tariff, but he can't straddle from hangman to President." The procession was twenty-five minutes in passing the hotel. When the last squadron had passed beneath the eye of the elated candidate, an adjournment was had to White's Theater, where speeches were made by Blaine, Senator Hale, General Fremont and others.

THE protection issue of this campaign is two-fold:

1st. The protection of the home against the low moral standard.

2d. The protection of labor against a low pauper standard.

USE Palmea Tooth Soap, prepared by Dr. Thos. S. Hoskins & Co., Decatur, Ill. Sold by all druggists. july27dtf

SPECIAL Bargains in Silks and French Dress Goods, at LINN & SCRUGGS'. aug13-d&wtf

BUY carpets and house furnishing goods at Abel & Locke's.

LOWEST prices made on the Republican Campaign Hat at B. Stine's. d&wtf

100 BLAINE and Logan Campaign Hats just received at B. STINE'S. a20tf

BUY no child's shoe except the "Solar Tip," with L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s name on every pair. se25-d&wtf

KEEP watch for Cheap Charley's opening week. oct1-d&wtf

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Swearingen & Hubbard. a6

ANIOTON mountings for harness are the best in use—will never rust or change their color. If you want the best, call and examine the Anioton. For sale only by J. G. Starr & Son. jun24d&wtf

FRESH oysters by dish or can, at J. H. Krebs, 146 East Prairie street. 19d&wtf

DONOT buy School Schoes until you see J. W Baker's stock and prices. Sept. 13—d&wtf

"ARE you ready? Let her go." $3.00 for those gent's dandy shoes at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s. s26–d&wtf

AFTER the Ohio election had done away with any further necessity for misrepresentation it dawned over the perception of the *Review* that it had been reporting a greater Republican majority in Ohio in 1880 than the facts justified, and it accordingly 'fesses up to being "mistaken" to the extent of about 4,000. A tardy confession is better than none at all, but if that paper owns up to all the lies it has told during the campaign it will be compelled to enlarge its dimensions and cancel all its advertising contracts.

THAT was a smart trick of Bro. Jack, and one which shows well his constant consideration for the feelings of his fellow Democrats, when he determined to have the news from Ohio read at Democratic headquarters. It would not have been pleasant for the faithful to have heard the ringing cheers at the court house.

ED. TAYLOR will preach an interesting and instructive discourse at the court house to-night. Subject, Democratic promises and Democratic performances, as exemplified in the Buckeye state.

Mr. Eldridge at Blue Mound.

The *Review* of October 12th, 1884, contains a notice of the dandy Democratic demonstration at Blue Mound Saturday evening, and speaks of a splendid torchlight procession and the logical remarks that *went home* and set Republicans to thinking. This is *too too*. Below are the cold facts: The splendid torchlight procession showed less than 70 torches, with the usual per centage of boys at that.

We append some of the *logical* remarks to show what havoc Mr. Eldridge made in Republican ranks:

For instance he stated that the $150,000,000 reserve in the U. S. Treasury was a useless accumulation, representing $100 for each man, woman and child in the United States, and that the one hundred million annual receipts was just $25, taken from the pockets of each individual voter.

The tariff was handled without gloves or tongs, and the remarkable statement made that a coat purchased in this market at $10 represented $6.70 tariff and $1.30 of cost. "Rather funny mathematics," at best, to say nothing of its utter absurdity. The Republicans of Blue Mound don't claim to know everything, yet they can spell out a vinegar bitters almanac in time without running the tongue out of the corner of the mouth, and are a "*mighty* sight too smart to swallow" such stuff as an emetic.

ANON.

GO AT once and see L. L. Ferriss & Co's Gent's fine $3 Shoes. None genuine without their name and the price stamped on the sole. Largest stock, best goods and lowest prices in Decatur. july 15 dtf.

GOOD news for the ladies—Mrs. K. Einstein in Masonic block has just received a new invoice of late styles of fall millinery goods and novelties, to which she invites the early inspection of her patrons. Go early. Hats trimmed in fine style by Miss Monger. Oct 9 d&wtf

Coal! Coal! Coal!

Now is the time to lay in your coal and wood for the winter. You ought to be sure and see George Ehrhart before you buy. Telephone 139, or order at Armstrong's drug store. Sept 2-dtf

HEADQUARTERS for Campaign Uniforms at B. STINE'S. jy15-d&wtf

Fresh Oysters.

Extra Fine. Baltimore Selects and New York Oysters, all Big Fat Fellows, right along, by the can, dozen or in any style, all the year round, at Miller's Lunch Room and Restaurant. sep24-d&w4w

THE store formerly occupied by Fleury has been vacated, but will be occupied Oct. 7, by Cheap Charley. oct1-d&wtf

Public Sale.

On account of poor health in my family, I have concluded to offer at public sale, on Saturday, Oct. 18, 1884, my dairy, comprising the best selection of cows ordinarily seen in one lot; also 10 grade Jersey heifers and two Jersey bulls; milk wagons and dairy tools in general. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock a. m., at 848 East Johns street—the old Meser barn. Terms of Sale: A credit of six months, with approved security, on all sums over $5; sums of $5 and under, cash. Also will sell at private sale, the house, barn and lots, or trade for small farm.

14-d1w1 S J BARBER.

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

THE Latest Stock, Best assortment and Lowest Prices in Dry Goods, Wall Paper, Curtain Goods, Oil Cloths and Carpets, at Linn & Scruggs. aug13-d&wtf

BE careful to note the fact that you can buy better goods, and more of them, for the same money, at Linn & Scruggs, than anywhere else. aug13-d&wtf

Jack Oak Wood.

Geo. W. Ehrhart can furnish you wood and coal in any quantity. Call early and get a good article. Telephone 139. aug. 19 -dtf

SCHOOL SHOES cheap this week at J. W Baker's. sep13-d&wtj

OVER one hundred ladies voted the Blue Ribbon to the White and Domestic at the Macon County Fair. Sept 22-d1m

50 CENTS will buy a good Jeans Pants at B. STINE'S. dtf

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned wishing to emigrate to Kansas, will sell at public sale at his residence, five miles southeast of Argenta, Macon county, Illinois, on

Thursday, October 30, 1884,

the following property: One span of work horses, 1 two year old gelding, 1 good brood mare four years old, 1 suckling mare colt (out of an imported Clyde horse), 2 good milch cows, both in milk, 1 yearling heifer, 3 brood sows, 1 male hog, 30 shoats, a lot of poultry, 1 two-horse wagon, top buggy, Sattley sulky plow, new, 1 new Brown cultivator, double harrow, sled, set double barness, set buggy harness, about 35 acres of standing corn in the field, 8 tons of hay in stack; also, household and kitchen furniture. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M., sharp.

TERMS—A credit of twelve months will be given on all sums of $5 and over, purchaser giving note with approved security before removing property; under $5, cash. Notes to draw 8 per cent. interest from date if not paid within ten days after maturity.

Oct. 10–w2w* ALLEN LICHTENBERGER.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss

In the Circuit Court of Macon County to the December Term, A. D. 1884—in Chancery.

Margaret E. Love vs. William A. Love.

Affidavit that the residence of the said defendant, William A. Love, on due inquiry cannot be found, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said William A. Love that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1884, as is by law required; which said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

Dated Oct. 2, 1884.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. C. JOHNS, Compl't's Sol'r. Oct. 2-d4w

CHICAGO *Inter Ocean:* The Hon. W. W. O'Brien, of Peoria, boasted in a public speech in front of the Sherman House in 1864 that when Abraham Lincoln retired from the Presidency they would try him for his offenses against the law and the Constitution. He should have a good Democratic lawyer to defend him, but they would try him as Charles I. was tried in England, and the verdict of the jury might be the same—that he had been found guilty of being a tyrant and a traitor, and if they found him guilty they would find men to carry out the law. This same patriot who wanted to hang Lincoln is now traversing Illinois pleading with patriotic men and old soldiers of the Union army to support Cleveland and Harrison. Mr. O'Brien is especially loving toward the Germans, and yet he is the same man and has the same principles as in 1864, when he desired to hang Lincoln as a traitor, and boasted in the same spech above referred to that a boot would be applied to Old Abe's posterior and he would be kicked from the Presidential chair. The report of the meeting at the time says, "Great cheering and laughter."

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

FOR SALE—My residence property, corner of North and Edward streets, containing eight rooms in good repair. As I desire to change my residence on account of poor health I will sell this property at a bargain. For price and particulars call at Freeman Bros boot and shoe store. J. T. GATES. Oct15-d1w*

WANTED—Good girl to do general house work. Enquire at 321 West Main street. Oct15:d6*

WANTED—By a middle-aged English woman a situation as housekeeper. Apply at 423 East Main street. Oct11-d6*

WANTED—Male and female agents. Over the New York Store, on Water St. Best chance in the world for making money. 13-d6

MISS KREBS has removed her dress-making rooms to 458 North College street. 9-d6

FOR SALE.—One base burner heating stove, in perfect order; "Splendid" pattern. Will be sold for one-third original cost. Apply at 716 West William street. 9-lt8*

WANTED—Two journeymen plasterers. Work sure until cold weather. Apply to L. T. ELLIS, Monticello. 9-d1*

SALE AND EXCHANGE STABLES.—If you want to buy or sell a good horse go to 537 North Church street, Decatur, Ill. Oct. 6—d&w1mo* E. B. PRATT, Prop'r.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A two-seated light spring wagon, harness, robe and blanket. Enquire of E. B. PRATT, 537 North Church St., Decatur, Ill. oc6-d&w1mo*

WANTED—All to know that V. H. PARKE has the only complete Feed Store in the city. He keeps all kinds of Stock Feed, Hard and Soft Coal, Fire Kindlers, etc., at the Scales, adjoining the Tabernacle. [se26-dtf

FOR SALE—Every kind of Stock Feed, Hard and Soft Coal, Fire Kindlers, &c., &c., delivered to any part of the city at reasonable prices. Telephone 58. V. H. PARKE. Sept. 25-dtf.

FOR SALE—House and lot, No. 1112 North Main street. House 4 rooms, lot 40x170. sept1dtf Enquire of JOHN QUINLAN.

WANTED—Everybody to know that Bachman Bros. will buy or trade for your old style furniture in exchange for new. Call and see them. m17d-tf

REMOVAL.—A. T. Summers, attorney at law, has removed his office to the elegant suite of rooms over the New York Store, on Water Street. If you want to borrow money in any amount, on real estate or personal property, or if you want any claims, accounts or notes collected, or any legal business properly and promptly attended to, give him a call. July 15, d3mos

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We now have MONEY TO LOAN ON CITY PROPERTY on favorable terms. April 4, 1884-dtf

FOR SALE.—A Medical Library: some of the latest works—all standard. Enquire at Henry Smith's drug store, where books can be seen. june 19-dtf

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Prices, 50 and 75 cents and $1.00; reserved seats without extra charge. The sale of seats will begin at Curtis & Co.'s on Monday morning, Oct. 13th.

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At Harristown, Illinois,

—ON—

FRIDAY, Oct. 24, 1884

MESSRS. PICKRELL, THOMAS & SMITH, and others, will sell about 45 SHORT-HORN COWS, HEIFERS and BULLS, of popular families, including some fine Rose of Sharons belonging to the estate of SCOTT PICKRELL, deceased.

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Saturday, October 25th,

J. H. PICKRELL will sell, AT SAME PLACE, all his

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Oct. 9—d&w2w

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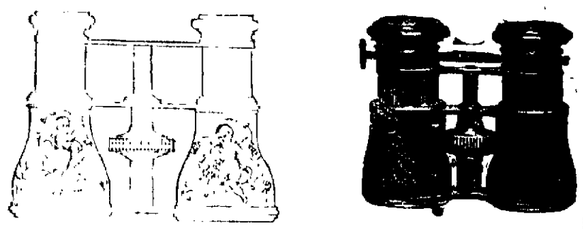
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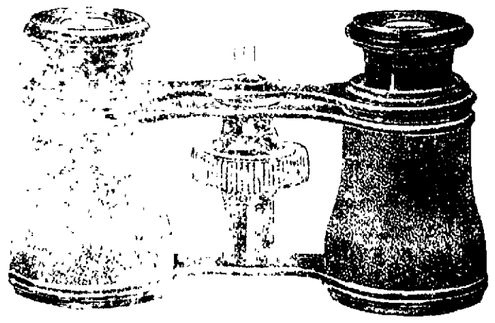
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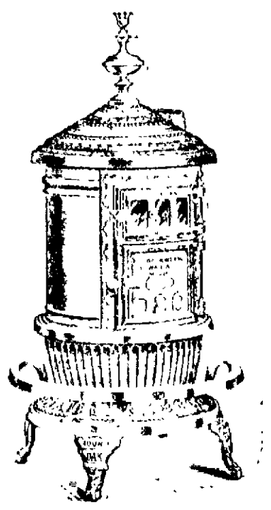
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 15, 1884.

LOCAL NEWS.

DOLL CARRIAGES, Wagons and Velocipedes, all styles, sizes and prices, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

SEE "Romany Rye" to-morrow night.

JOHN NAVIN was buried this afternoon.

ATTEND the prayer meeting this evening.

DON'T fail to see Romany Rye to-morrow night. Seats are selling fast.

THERE will be big times among Republicans in Decatur on the 24th and 28th.

THERE was a heavy frost at the democratic headquarters last night.

DEAL with Niedermeyer, on the mound, and get good stock feed.

THE democrats have a marching club at Mt. Zion which is properly called "the infant-ry." There are but eight voters in it, the remainder are boys.

FINE scenery and a first-class play at the opera house to-morrow night.

TWO NEW pool tables, Manhattan make, quick Monarch cushions, at Downing & Clarkson's place, south side city park. Everything first class. Call. 13-d6t

BUY your wood and coal of Geo. Ehrhart, and get a good quality. Telephone 139, or at Armstrong's drug store. a19-dtf

FRESH oysters just received at Marcott's restaurant, 114 North Water street. a16-dtf

AT Springfield yesterday Riley Scott, of Decatur, and Mary Sutton were granted a marriage license.

DECATUR'S marching clubs have received an invitation to go to Mattoon on the 23d, when Secretary Lincoln, Gov. Hamilton, Thomas Crotty and J. G. Cannon will address the Republican rally.

TWO OF the finest decorators in town will be found at Bridges', 215 North Main street. ma29-dtf

IT may transpire that the Citizens' committee will build a double street railway track through the business part of the city.

THE finest musical instruments in the city are the celebrated Hamea Bros., pianos and elegant Packard organs, at C. E. Prescott's parlor in Opera Block.

EASTBURN'S smokers call for Schanodenreich brated Bohemian cigars, a nickel each.

THE German vote of Illinois from estimates based on the last census, is about 23,578, and at least two thirds of it is Republican.

THE Republican Campaign Hat at B. Stine's d&wtf

REPUBLICAN rally and jollification at the court house to-night. The speaker will be Hon. E. S. Taylor, of Chicago. The marching battalion will make a parade.

SELZER fresh fish and family groceries at Peter Ullrich's store.

THE celebrated scenic play, "The Romany Rye," will be given at the opera house to-morrow night. There is plenty of sentiment and fun in the piece and ought to be seen by a packed audience. It made a big hit last season.

MR. PEGRAM, of Lincoln, was in the city last evening to get the Decatur Republican marching clubs to go to Lincoln on the 25th.

DON'T fail to inspect the elegant lot of new carpets at Abel & Locke's. Every piece is a bargain.

THE Stony Creek bridge near Danville, used by the Wabash and other roads, was destroyed by fire. Trains made schedule time by passing over the I., B. & W. track.

G. P. HART, Upholsterer.

THERE has been a great take of reserved seats for the first lecture on Europe to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Vosburgh at the opera house.

THE ladies of the Baptist church will give a sociable at the residence of O. N. Bramble, on Cemetery street, to-morrow evening. All are invited. Refreshments will be served.

CALL at Newell Bros. for choice Michigan apples, quinces and Siberian crabs. oct13d3*

SOME of the Bourbon boys who put up their money on the result in Ohio will have to wear summer underwear and low cut shoes the coming winter. It is cold weather everywhere for the demmies.

TO ALL interested in writing machines: J. H. Durfee has a sample at the new Ideal Caligraph, at circuit clerk's office, for one week only, call and see it. 15-2t*

COAL and wood at Geo. Ehrhart's. 29tf

NEW fall goods just received, of the latest design, and will be made upon the latest style and fit. Look at the appearance of my coats on the street, and it will convince you of where you ought to get your clothes made, and that is at James Veale's, the French Cutter from Cork, 142 West Prairie street. He does not deny his nationality. oct13d1m

SAM LEE, 130 North Water street—machine ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair. dec11-dly

MISS NELLIE SEMON has opened her dressmaking parlors, first stairway east of post office. Two apprentice girls wanted. oct15 d6*

MEALS 25 cents and day board $3.50 per week at W. C. T. U Dining Hall, No. 151 South water street. oct13dtf

CHEAP CHARLEY always appreciated the good will of his customers and has reciprocated by the kind and fair treatment of his patrons. During the Opening Week at his store he gives this appreciation form by presenting every purchaser of $12 worth of goods with a fine Oil Painting in gilt frame. The size of the picture is from two to three feet. Call before they are all gone. Oct. 9-dtf

ORDER Decatur coal from Geo. Ehrhart Telephone 139. july21dtf

BURR OAKS is the play of the times, noble in theme, brave in action, grand in sentiment, lovely in its rich and beautiful poetic coloring, acted by a company of great talent. It is the success of the times. It vindicates man and womanhood.

"'Twas slander filled her mouth with lying words,
Slander the foulest whelp of sin."

G. P. HART, Upholsterer.

GETTING THE NEWS IN DECATUR.

Shouting and Singing Republicans at the Court House.

Sick and Disheartened Democrats Go Home Early.

GOOD BYE, GOOD BYE.

AIR—Good Bye, My Lover, Good Bye.

"Ohio's gone like all the rest.
Good bye, my Cleveland, good by!
And so it goes from East to West.
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye.

Bye Cleveland Bye,
Bye Hendricks Bye,
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye.

We started this way up in Maine,
Good bye, my Cleveland, Good bye!
We'll beat them every time the same,
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye.

Old Carter's next—we want his hair,
Good bye, my Carter, good bye!
You'll never reach the Governor's Chair,
Good bye, my Carter, good bye.

With Blaine and Logan as our man,
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye!
We'll bury you deep and shout amen!
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye.

Now give us a cheer for Blaine of Maine,
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye!
And Logan, too, of gallant fame,
Good bye, my Cleveland, good bye."

GOOD TIMES.

"What good times have we,
What good times have we,
Veil's the man to beat Buckingham,
Oh, what good times have we."

There was an old-time Republican love-feast at the court house last night. Ohio spoke in thunder tones yesterday for bread and protection, and the result is a probable Republican majority in the old Buckeye State of 20,000 to 25,000, with the democrats on the run for tall timber and the swamps to recover as best they can from the great Waterloo.

The bulletins commenced to arrive early. They were read by J. R. Mosser, and their contents were of such a pleasing nature that cheer after cheer broke forth from all quarters of the large and enthusiastic crowd. The news showed gains all over the state, as given in our telegraphic columns to-day; but when Hamilton county showed a gain of over 2,700 in 55 precincts the applause was deafening, and the glee club struck up a number of patriotic songs which set nearly everybody to singing and shouting over the glorious news. Later W. W. Foster sang that good old song, "Marching Thro, Georgia," the crowd joined in the chorus, the shouts were continued, short talks were spoken, there were more songs, and the crowd went home at 2 o'clock, glad and happy over the Ohio land-slide.

SAD DEMOCRATS.

At the democratic headquarters there was a good attendance early in the evening at the Bourbon funeral, with B. K. Durfee, C. C. Clark, S. S. Jack and others in charge of the doleful ceremonies. The first telegram which told of large Republican gains, paralyzed the gloomy party and made the voice of Durfee husky, while Clark's pencil trembled as he put down the unwelcome figures to refer to later on. Each succeeding telegram acted as an emetic for the moss-backs, and a sadder company it would have been difficult to find in any quarter of the country. Though the messages were written very plainly, Mr. Durfee found them hard to read, "because they were blurred," and when he glanced over one telling of the 2700 Republican gain in Hamilton county, he cast it aside with the remark that that had been received half an hour before, and so it went. The searcher for news had to go up in front to get the figures. There was no cheering whatever, except over a telegram from West Virginia, which told that the Democrats had carried that state. The crowd began to thin out early. Only the local bosses were left at 11 o'clock to turn off the gas and go off to their homes weary and sorrowful.

JOLLIFICATION TO-NIGHT.

The Republicans will have a big jollification hurrah on the streets to-night, with speaking at the court house by Hon. E. S. Taylor, of Chicago, and others. The marching clubs will report in full force at Republican headquarters at 7 o'clock, to make a stunning parade. Let every man turn out and carry a torch. Goodman's band and the Escort club drum corps will furnish the music for the parade.

STREET TALK.

Charley Caldwell says: "I'll pay 12½ cents for all Democratic bets on sale. Want to use them for a bonfire."

There are hundreds of Ohio people about town to-day, all proud of the Buckeye State.

The Republicans will endeavor to paint the town red to-night.

The flags are up about the city to-day. The REPUBLICAN flag went up early.

In the jollification parade to-night the escort club will carry new torches, with two small flags floating from each.

The Glee club will be on deck at the court house to-night and sing joyful songs.

The funeral notices were received at Democratic headquarters last night until 11 o'clock, when a sorrowful benediction was pronounced by S. S. Jack and C. C. Clark.

More Acceptances for the 28th.

Letters have been received from the following points, accepting invitations to attend the John A. Logan rally on October 28th:

S. M. Funk, Cerro Gordo: "Will send from 100 to 200 on that occasion, and will bring martial band and also brass band."

W. P. Smith, Monticello: "We will furnish 250 torches and men to carry them."

W. E. M. Browne, Bement: "A large number from here will come to Decatur on Logan day."

H. L. Boyd, Mattoon: "Have a big rally in Coles county on the 28th, and we will beat the Harrison meeting of the 17th in Mattoon on the 22d, when Secretary Lincoln, Gov. Hamilton and J. G. Cannon will speak. Will send 1,000 from Mattoon on the 24th to Springfield. Wish you success on the 28th."

Calvin Rayburn, Bloomington: "Invitation received, and it will be laid before our club at its next meeting. Our club is ready to respond to calls from our neighbors in this congressional district. Should you send up a large delegation to our grand rally on the 25th, we will return the favor with a larger number."

Will Vote as They Shot.

EDS REPUBLICAN:—Hedges Post No. 347, G. A. R., of Blue Mound, has forty members, and of these 37 are Republicans and will vote for Blaine and Logan, and three are Democrats and will vote for Cleveland and Hendricks. Besides these there are in Pleasant View township eight old soldiers, not members of the Post, and of these six are Republicans, one a Democrat, and one a Prohibitionist. REPUBLICAN.

A CERTAIN obnoxious person managed to obtain tickets for the entertainment last night by sending some one to the reserved seat places for them and gained admission for the first time in two years. We are requested to say to the patrons of the opera house that it will not occur again and if the party gains admission hereafter means will be used to remove her at once.

AN adjourned meeting of those interested in the formation of a Young Men's Business and Social club will be held at the New Deming parlor to-morrow evening, when the committees will present reports of lively interest to all concerned in the proposed organization.

The Foot Race.

About 75 sports witnessed the local prize foot race at the fair grounds yesterday afternoon. It was a dash of 100 yards; jump start, for $25 aside, and Etheridge, the Sullivan flyer, was the winner by two feet, leaving "Cyclone" (James Rodgers,) the Decatur man, in the rear that distance. "Cyclone" would have got there, but Etheridge got ahead of him 8 feet on the start. The result was something of a surprise to the friends of the Decatur runner, some of whom are out more or less small change to-day. It is said tha Etheridge is a professional.

A Wedding.

The marriage of Mr. A. J. Comstock and Mrs. Mary E. Elliott was celebrated at Atchison, Kansas, on October 2d, Rev. Wm. Krohn, a Methodist minister, officiating. The bride is well known about Mt. Zion, this county, having been here recently on a visit to her father, Madison Turpin, and other relatives. The marriage occurred immediately on her return to Kansas, and the couple were cordially welcomed by a company of 45 friends. Mr. C. is an old resident of Hiawatha, Kansas, where he has lived for 36 years.

Serious Accident.

Several young men came to grief this morning west of the city a few miles. The Turner boys were in a farm wagon, and Mr. Walton was in another. They got to racing, one trying to pass the other. There was a collision, and Walton was seriously hurt about the head. One wagon was badly damaged and two horses slightly hurt. One team ran off and had not been found at last accounts. Walton had his wounds dressed by Dr. Chenoweth.

The Comedy Show.

While the democrats were feeling awfully doleful at their headquarters, and while the Republicans were howling with delight at the court house last night Nat Goodwin and his comedy company made big fun for a large audience at the opera house in presenting the decidedly Frenchy comedy, "Confusion," a three-act suggestive play, which is said to have been all the rage in London 500 nights and in New York 150 nights. Nat Goodwin is a comedian of merit, but would have made a better impression here had he appeared in "Hobbies" or "All the Rage."

The Irish Vote.

The question has been, how will the Irish vote go? Now the question is how will that cano to be voted for governor at the Irish Catholic fair and festival go?

Republican Battalion, Attention.

All marching clubs forming the Republican battalion will meet at headquarters Wednesday evening, Oct. 15, at 7 o'clock, to make a parade. F. M. YOUNG, Major.

Attention, Escort Club

All members of the Young Men's Republican Escort Club are requested to meet at headquarters on Wednesday evening, Oct. 15th, at 7 o'clock sharp. Appear in uniform for parade to attend the Taylor meeting. W. M. STRANGE, Capt.
G. R. DODSON, O. S.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Lillie Condell, of St. Louis, is in the city on a visit.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Young, Oct. 15, a daughter.

James Lee is on duty as a policeman, in place of Ray Ringland, who is at Kansas, Ill., sick. Ray has been ill several weeks.

H. A. Miller, formerly of Carthage, Mo., is a new salesman in the furniture department at R. Liddle's.

Charley Plank, of Wichita, Kan., is in the city. He is a conductor on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway.

Mrs. Jessie Bendure was called to Clinton last evening by the death of Mrs. J. E. Moffett. The funeral will occur at 2 p. m. to-morrow.

Charley Fuller, jr., is ill with a lung trouble at Jacksonville, Florida. He sent for his mother to come down on Sunday. There are but slight hopes of Charley's recovery.

Dr. A. R. Small got home from Wauceda, Michigan, this morning. He left the Decatur hunting party in good spirits. The doctor killed his deer and comes back to attend to his professional duties.

Board of Education.

REGULAR MEETING.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, ILL., Oct. 14, 1884. }

Present, Messrs. Barnes, Warren and Clerk. Absent, W. B. Chambers. Minutes of three meetings read and approved. Treasurer's report of receipts and expenditures for months of July, August and Sept. were read, compared and approved. The following bills were allowed and clerk directed to draw orders on the treasurer to pay the same: Carrie L. Gastman, $5; J. H. Bevans, $31 97; Rattan M'fg. Co., $197 74; Korsmeyer & O'Neill, 40c; Durfee Bros., 50c; W. A. Olmstead, $33 60; C. W. Whitsit, $2; Morgan & Adkesson, $5.20; J. Ullrich, $3 58; R. McClelland, $86; W. L. Oakes, $1.25; Albert Barnes, $5; Abel & Locke, $4; J. W. Butman, $10; Gas Co. $3 30; John Gibbin, $16.50; Wm. Towling, $3; Central Telephone Co., $10.50; Potter, Ainsworth & Co., $11.25; Isaac C. Houck, $6; A. H. Harris, $22.50; H. C. Stultz, $524.10.

The Sup't. presented the claim of Geo. G. Harnsburger, that he was entitled to send his child to the high school, as he was a tax-payer in the district. Sup't. also submitted the opinion of State Sup't. Raab, that the claim was not well founded, as the clear intention of the law was that only *actual residents* were entitled to the privileges of the schools. Sup't. directed to collect tuition in all such cases.

On motion, adjourned.
W. A. BARNES, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

CONFINED to her bed with rheumatism, every joint in her body sore, her hands and limbs swollen, suffering almost indescribable pain, and, in fact, almost helpless, and the best efforts of the family physician having proved futile, it is no wonder Jennie Praeger, of New Haven, had little faith when a friend brought her a bottle of Athlophoros, saying she thought it would relieve her. However, in order to satisfy her she tried it. After taking two doses she thought she felt a little change for the better, and so she continued its use until she had taken three bottles, and she found herself completely cured.

Now Open.

P. Benbaamen & Co. have removed their large and complete stock of groceries from their old stand on S. Main street to Water street, in the room vacated by Cheap Charley, next door to J. Millikin & Co.'s bank. They would respectfully ask their old customers and new ones to call and see them in their new quarters.
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Rags and Scrap Iron.

Having engaged in the business of buying and shipping paper rags, scrap iron, old metals, etc., we are prepared to pay the highest market prices *in cash* for these commodities in carload lots or in such quantities as may be offered.

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THE DECATUR HUNTERS.

A Spicy Letter From the Party in Michigan—Capt. Chambers in Command.

The following letter from the wilds of Michigan will be read with interest by friends of the absent party and by sportsmen generally,

WAUCEDAH, MICH., Oct. 10, 1884.

God has so made us in our dispositions that however luxuriant may be our surroundings when mingling with the highest type of civilization, that men sometimes wish to go and see nature, even as the savage saw it. That man who can have no desire to roam through an untrodden forest or float down the dark waters of some wild and turbulent stream lacks that which makes this life the sweetest, i. e., to see things as God made them. Our little company left Decatur on Monday night, September 29th, and arrived at our hunting grounds at 3 p. m., Wednesday following. Nothing beyond a very laughable episode between Ald. Wayne and one of the dogs in Chicago, occurred on the route. This little fracas has afforded our party many a hearty laugh. We pitched our camp near Hamilton lake and have christened the same Camp Decatur. A better hunting ground could not be found in America. We have deer in abundance, not less than fifty having been seen by our party in the past week, and at no time have we been more than one mile and a half from our camp. There are many ways of hunting deer, the favorite one with our party being what is known by hunters as the drive, and for the benefit of those who do not understand this, I will here give the mode: Some certain tract of country, of about four hundred acres is, selected and around this, forming a pocket, the entire party is put on separate stations at about equal distances apart, each station being selected, if possible, near some deer runway or trail. After all are in position the Indian and dogs are put in at the farthest point when the fun begins. The first sound that reaches the ear is the wild whoop of the Indian, then comes the deep bellowing of the dogs, now all eyes and ears are strained to get the first sight of the coming game and when some noble buck or timid doe comes in view the heart stands still, and had the deer one point in ten the gallant hunter would take to his heels, but here he levels his gun and lays low the noblest game of the American forest. It was on a drive of this kind that Mayor Chambers killed the first deer our party got this season, and on this same drive ex-Mayor Haworth killed one and mortally wounded another. On last Tuesday Dr. Small marched into camp with the stride of a Roman Gladiator bearing in his right hand the heart of a five spike buck, and on Friday following, ex-Mayor Haworth's son, William quietly sat down to supper and with a cool deliberation eat a hearty meal and then gently broke the news to the camp that he, too, had killed a buck whose antlers bore but one spike less than those of Dr. Small's. Such coolness on the part of such a young hunter was finally accounted for, as he had been seen to arrive in camp with that old and tried hunter, Alderman Starr, who sent a fine doe to grass on that same day. On yesterday Sam. Gher had his first chance to get his deer, but not having had as much experience as some of the party, he fired too soon and missed his game, and requests that you advertise one gun for sale, cheap; for particulars call on Sam. Gher. Mr. V. H. Parke is having a grand time, and while he has not as yet killed a deer, he no doubt will come up well in the end, as it seems to be his luck to get his game at the close of the hunt. Mr. Campbell has not as yet killed his deer, but has drawn blood from one and hopes to have better luck this coming week. Alderman Wayne works hard but, like Parke and Campbell, don't tally; he says he thought he had killed a bear yesterday, but it turned out to be only a porcupine. But Mr. Wayne's chances are good, as he and Alderman Starr are always on the go and are most sure to get some game. D. S. Shellabarger does not care so much to kill game, as he is out for health and pleasure and puts in most of his time placing his friends at good stands while he wanders off to some barren spot where no deer ever comes. We have with our party Mr. Rainey, of Bellevile, Ill. Mr. R. is an old hunter, understands the care of deer meat as well as any one we have over had in our camp, hence he has been put in full charge of all the game brought in. Joe, the cook, laughs and grows fat, and has lots of fun with the Indian, with whom he has gotten on terms of the closest intimacy. Joe likes the Indian because he shows him deer; the Indian likes Joe because he gives him pie.

The fishing here could not be surpassed; the waters are filled with the finest specimens of bass and pickerel, and the angler has not as yet been here to thin them out. So you see you have one round of sport, hunting and fishing and fishing and hunting. Let us close by saying we are having a royal time and thank Providence that it is possible for us to take such vacations from the toils and vexations of life. With best wishes to all at home, we are yours, DECATUR HUNTING PARTY.

NOTE—Dr. Small got home this morning. He states that on the 8th the party went out on a drive for game, and succeeded in killing five fine deer. The party will start for home on the 21st.

Vote for Governor.

A vote will be taken at the Irish Catholic fair and festival for governor. In this contest one free vote will be given with each door ticket sold. A fine gold headed cane will be presented to the candidate receiving the largest number of votes.

A Good Point.

In the Opera House *Footlight* Manager Haines gets off the following good hit at those show goers who pound the floor with their big feet: "If those people who insist on keeping time with their feet to the music of the orchestra knew how annoying it is to the audience as well as the musicians themselves, they would certainly forego the little pleasure they get out of it. The orchestra is as good as could be desired, being a credit to the city as well as to its leader, Prof. Olof Bull; and it is to be hoped that their efforts and splendid music will be appreciated."

Republican Appointments.

Republican rallies will be held at the following places in this county:

Argenta, Oct. 15—Jason Rogers and E. P. Vail speakers.
Blue Mound, Oct. 15—J. A. Brown and A. H Mills.
Macon, Oct. 15—J. R. Mills and D. C Corley.
Maroa, Oct 16—E. P. Vail and W. C. Johns.
Long Creek, Oct. 17—E. P. Vail and Jason Rogers.
Niantl, Oct. 18—E. P. Vail and A. H. Mills
Harristown, Oct. 17—A. H. Mills and Jason Rogers.
Mt. Zion, Oct. 20—W. C. Johns and E. P. Vail.
Warrensburg, Oct. 21—J. R. Mills and Edwin Park.
Boody, Oct. 21—E. P. Vail and Jason Rogers.
Wheatland, Oct. 22—A. H. and J. R. Mills
Oakley, Oct. 23—W. C. Johns and Jason Rogers.

DIED.

In this city at his home at 230 North Church stree, WILLIAM ZEBULON BASHFORD, of paralysis, at 10:30 a. m., October 15, 1884.

Deceased has been in ill health for two years and has been confined to the house for five months. He was born in Brooklyn, England, in 1826. He was married in 1846 and came to this country in 1860. He came to Illinois in 1865. He leaves a wife and four children, and a brother and sister in this county. The children are Mrs. L. H. Martin, George, William and Thomas Bashford. His brother, George H. Bashford, of Nauvoo, Ill., and his sister, Mrs. Harriette Brunsor, of Argenta, Ill.

Funeral from his late residence Friday morning at 9 o'clock a. m., Oct. 17, 1884. Interment will take place at the Dunkard cemetery near Cerro Gordo. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

In this city, at 761 North Morgan street, of cholera infantum, EDWARD, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kennedy, aged 1 year and 7 months.

The funeral will take place from Saint Patrick's Catholic, 10 a. m. to-morrow. Father Mackin will officiate.

In Macon township, of consumption, on Oct. 15, 1884, MARY ANN, wife of James Foster, aged 23 years.

The funeral will occur to-morrow from Shady Grove Church. The remains will be interred at Mt. Gilead.

G. P. HART, Upholsterer.

D. A. MAFFIT has two wagons, and is prepared to furnish pure crystal ice in quantities to suit in any part of the city. Telephone 100. may21-dtf

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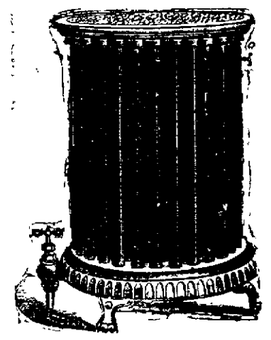
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AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.
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SATURDAY, Oct. 18.

The Grand Sale of Ladies,' Misses' and Children's CLOAKS at 40 Cents on the Dollar will begin Oct. 18th.

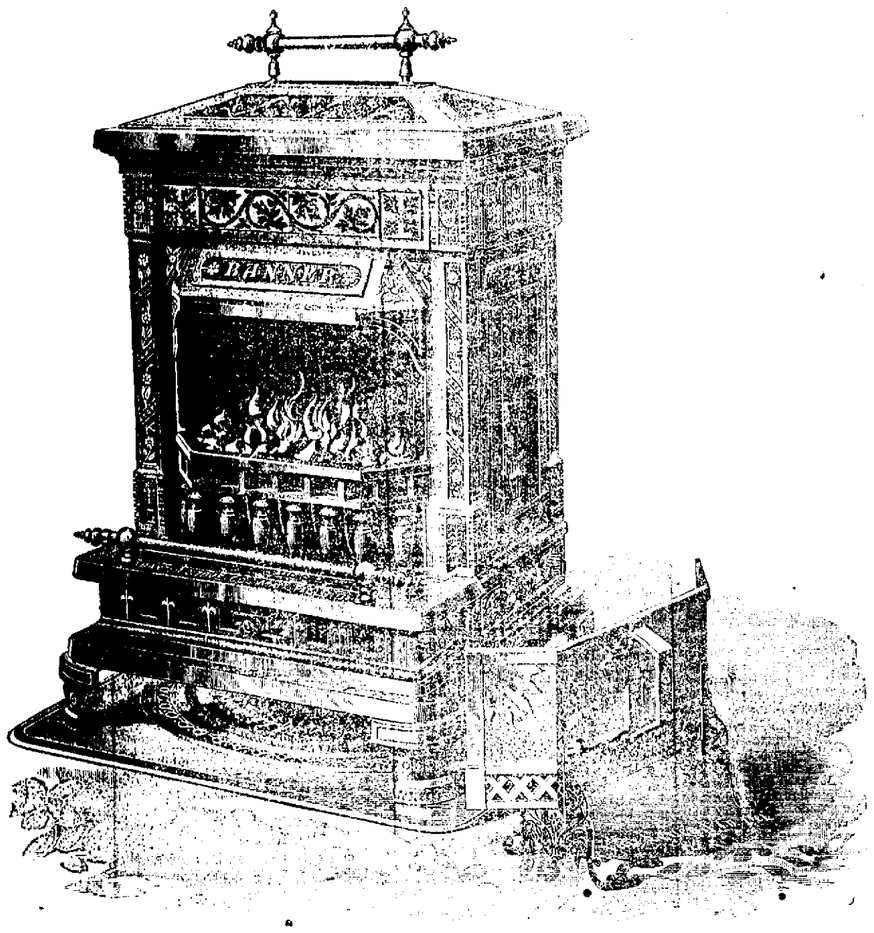
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The Daily Republican.

BOSTON *Transcript* (Ind.): Mr. Hendricks is the "continental" blunderer in this campaign. How many votes does he expect to gain by ridiculing the Republican utterances against polygamy contained in the platform of that party?

LESS than six months ago 152 Democratic congressmen voted for a reduction of 20 per cent. in the wages of workers in glass factories and iron mills. Is it strange that business is paralyzed during a campaign while the danger of the success of its sworn enemy is imminent?

HERE is the way one man puts it: "Democratic success means free trade. Free trade means 30 per cent. reduction in wages. Reduction in wages means the panic and revolution." That is a thing not merely for workingmen but for all classes to take a good second look at.

NEW YORK *Commercial Advertiser*: In other words, say the truth-loving Cleveland men, the Republicans are buying votes with pensions. Could partisan imbecility make a worse exhibition? Verily, we have reached that point in the campaign whore reason deserts the partisan and folly reigns supreme.

SAN FRANCISCO *Chronicle* (Rep.): There is no pretense, not a particle of evidence that Hendricks has changed his opinion on the liquor question since March 7, 1867, when he declared that the taking of a drink of liquor by any man is an offense, the criminality of which only falls short of murder, and the proper punishment of which is only short of death by the rope.

"FOR God, Home, and our Native Land" is the motto of the sentimentalists of the Prohibition third-party. Practically, in results, it means Harrison, the Saloon, and the Bourbon Democracy and nothing less.—*Inter-Ocean.*

THE Cleveland *Plain Dealer* advises Democrats to "boycot" every establishment that took part in the Republican display of the evening previous. To this the *Herald* responds: "They will have to buy their goods in some other city if they do."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Swearingen & Hubbard feb19dawly

TAPISSIER FRERES' GREASE PROOF SILK.

The London *Queen* and London *Weldon's Journal* say:

This silk gives every satisfaction, both as to richness, durability and price, it being a special make, free from deleterious compositions.

Messrs. Tapissier Freres will replace any length complained of as not fulfilling the advantages claimed. Demand with each purchase the blue ticket guarantee wear. For sale by LINN & SCRUGGS. April 9—d&wtf

Blankets! Blankets!! Blankets!!!

1500 Pairs Blankets in transit bought at the Peremptory Sale of the "Willow dale Co." Aug. 2nd, 33⅓ per cent. lower than were ever sold at auction at any time, and will be retailed by Linn & Scruggs at Lower Prices than were ever sold by the manufacturers in 100 case lots. Black silks Cheaper than have been sold for 24 years, at sept9-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

DURING the opening week only Cheap Charley will donate to every purchaser of a man's suit a very fine oil painting worth $5.00. oct4-d&wtf

THE Blaine and Logan Hat at B. Stine's. d&wtf

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GET your Blaine and Logan hats at STINE'S. s20-dawtf

Go to Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

MANTELS and Grates at Ferguson & Dillehunt's. may14-dtf

FINE carriage and buggy harness, plow and team harness at J. W. Tyler's new shop, northwest corner of old square Repairing a specialty. 1-dtf

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500 Cassimere Suits, Heavy Weights, in Sack or Frock, worth $10 a Suit, ordered sold by the Insurance Company for $4.00 a Suit.

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300 All-Wool, Heavy Weight Cassimere Suits, worth $12.50 a Suit, ordered sold by the Insurance Company for $4.25 a Suit.

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800 Fine English and French Worsted Suits, worth $16.50 to $22, ordered sold by the Insurance Company for $9 to $12.50 a Suit.

150 4-Button Cut-away Suits (Satin Lined) worth $28.50 a Suit, ordered sold by the Insurance Company for $9.50. This is a rare chance to get a nobby Suit for almost nothing.

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1,000 Pairs Cassimere Pants at $1, worth $2.50.
500 Pairs Worsted Pants at $1 to $1.25 a pair, worth $3.50 and $4.
300 Pairs English Worsted and Fine Cloth Pants at $3, worth $6.
5,000 Overcoats are stacked on our counters.
1,000 Chinchilla Overcoats in Black, Blue and Brown, worth $6.50 to $8 each, ordered sold by the Insurance Company at $1.25 each.
500 Fine Kersey Melton and Plain Beaver Overcoats worth $12.50 to $18 each, ordered sold by the Insurance Company at $5.50 each.
1,000 Ulsters and Ulsteretts, some lined in cassimere and some not lined, all long cut, suitable for hard knocks, worth from $12 to $16.50, ordered sold by the Insurance Company for $4.25.
300 Fall Overcoats in English Worsteds and Fine Dallies, worth from $8 to $25, ordered sold by the Insurance Company at $7.50.
BOYS' SUITS from $1.50 up.
Boys' Pants at 50 cents, worth $1.25.
Overalls and Waists at 25 cents.
Heavy Undershirts and Drawers at 25 cents.
Suspenders 5 cents a pair.
All-Wool Blue Flannel Shirts at 75 cents, worth $2.25.
Men's Fine Fur Hats at $1, worth $2.75.
Men's Fine Wool Hats at 35 cents, worth $1.25.
Boys' Hats, 1000 at 25c each, worth 75c and $1.

It is impossible to enumerate everything. Come and see for yourself; it will pay you a big dividend on time invested.

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